

**NEWS AND OTHER ITEMS.**

"And which is so rare as a day in June?"  
Then, "Oh, ever come perfect days;  
Then have water the earth itself lie in ice,  
And over it sailing you may see me."

Six persons were baptised by Rev. Mr. Parsons from Springs Island last Sunday.

A Sunday-school visitor, who was interrogating the children, asked the question "Why was Lot's wife turned into a pillar of salt?" There was a pause, and then a small boy, with a preternatural growth of head piked out, "I s'pose it was because she was too fresh."

June is the month for towing buckwheat. The old rule was to put this crop in about the first of July, but it is found to grow better if sown a bit earlier, say from the 20th to the 25th of June. So far this year, buckwheat is pretty sure to escape the early frosts of autumn.

Moultsburg, who has been indulging in amateur farming, says nothing is as it is represented. "They said the cow," he complains, "they said the would give eight quarts of milk a day, but I took a trip to her and advised her in the politest terms, but given off'll believe it air, she wouldn't give him. The milk had been

**MADE FOR IMMORTALITY!**—It cannot be that earth is man's only abiding-place; it cannot be that our life is a bubble, cast away by the ocean of eternity, to float a moment upon the waves, and then sink into darkness and nothingness. Else why is it that the high and glorious apostles, who saw and heard the angels from the temple of our Father? Why is it that the rainbow and the cloud come over us with a beauty that we can never pass on, and leave behind us to those who follow? Why is it that stars, which hold their feet round the mid-night throne, are seen forever, mocking us with their unapproachable glory? And why is it that bright forms of human beings, whose faces we view and then turn away and leave the thousand currents of our missionaries flow back in an Alpine torrent upon our heads, and make us feel a larger heaven than that of earth. Then, where does the rainbow never-fades, where the stars are strewn out before us, where islands take shape and form, and where the beautiful beings which herald pass before us like vision, will stay in our presence forever.

**CHURCH DIRECTORY.**  
*(All officers for this year, unless noted, are sent to the annual conference.)*  
Morning service at 10 o'clock.  
Evening service at 7 o'clock.  
Baptism at 8 o'clock.  
Prayer meeting at 6 o'clock.  
SUNDAY SCHOOL.  
FIRST PARISH CONGREGATIONAL, FROM 9

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Elds., Springfield, Ohio; Treasurer, F. M. McDowell, Waco, New York; Secretary, Wm. M. Ireland, Washington, D. C.; Gate Keeper, O. Diawiddle, Orchard Grove, Indiana; Clerks, Mrs. Hattie H. Woodman, Danbury, Conn.; John H. Houghton, Mary Lou Danforth, Fayette, Mississippi; Flora, E. M. Nicholson, Camden, New Jersey; A. S. H. A. Sims, Topoka, Kansas, Executive Committee, Wm. G. Wylie, Seneca Falls, New York; D. W. Atkin, Cokesbury, South Carolina.

★ **STATE NEWS.**

**Androscoggin.**  
 Mr. Frank D. Thompson has been appointed chief clerk in the Lewiston Post Office, in place of Mr. Jordan, resigned. Mr. George Deane has been appointed to a clerkship in the office also.

Mr. Z. Blouin is building a large store on Lincoln street near the corner of Chestnut.

John Garner, Esq., of this city, was the recipient of an elegant suit from Good Samaritan Lodge, A. O. S., Tuesday evening. Mr. Garner has been connected with the order for many years and has held various offices in the lodge. The gift was a testimonial from the members of the lodge for his long and faithful service. It was a fine silver card receiver, of a unique and handsome design. The receiver is supported by a stand on which a bird with outstretched wings is perched, from the bird's beak a banner is suspended. There is a flower vase on each side of the receiver. The whole is an elaborate and finely executed specimen of the silversmith's art. Mr. Garner was surprised and feelingly thanked the brothers for their beautiful gift. — Lewiston Journal.

★ **Canada.**

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June 5

**MAINE MEDICAL ASSOCIATION.**

The annual meeting of the Maine Medical Association will be held in the City Building, Portland, on June 15th, 16th and 17th. Session will begin at 10 A. M. on the 15th.

THAS. O. HATCH, Secretary.

March 21

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